DOCUMENT RESUME

ED 301 851 CS 009 434

AUTHOR	Rayner, Keith; Pollatsek, Alexander
TITLE	The Psychology of Reading.
REPORT NO	ISBN-0-13-733007-3
PUB DATE	89
NOTE	529p.
AVAILABLE FROM	Prentice Hall, Mail Order Sales, 200 Old Tappan Rd., Old Tappan, NJ 07675 ($40.00 plus shipping and handling).
PUB TYPE	Books (010) -- Information Analyses (070)
EDRS PRICE	Document Not Available from EDRS.
DESCRIPTORS	Beginning Reading; *Cognitive Psychology; Eye Movements; Higher Education; Inner Speech (Subvocal); Literature Reviews; Models; Reading Comprehension; Reading Difficulties; *Reading Processes; *Reading Research; Remedial Reading; Sentences; Speed Reading; Syntax
IDENTIFIERS	Proofreading

ABSTRACT

Intended for advanced undergraduates and beginning graduate students, this book summarizes and puts into a coherent framework the research on reading processes conducted by cognitive psychologists since the early 1970s. The book focuses on the process of reading: how information is extracted from the printed page and comprehended. Part 1 provides background information on reading, writing, and word perception. Part 2 discusses eye movements and inner speech occurring during reading, part 3 deals with understanding text through words, sentences, and discourse structures. Part 4 discusses beginning reading and reading disabilities, while part 5 covers speedreading, proofreading, and individual differences in the context of developing a model of reading. (Thirty-four pages of references are attached.) (RS)

****
* Reproductions supplied by EDRS are the best that can be made *
* from the original document. *
****